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### Wants Decent Campaign.

Mr. J. E. Burgher,  
Editor Clay City Times,  
Clay City, Kentucky.

My dear Sir:

On the eve of the opening of the campaign I am taking the liberty of asking your co-operation in seeking to make it notable for friendly discussion, fair play and truthfulness. Both parties are, or will be, committed to fairer elections, which necessarily involves cleaner methods of campaigning. The newspapers of the State will have a controlling voice in bringing this about. I do not wish to be understood as suggesting or desiring any limitation upon legitimate discussion of the fitness of men for public office, or criticism of the issues for which they stand. On the contrary I expect and invite the fullest discussion in that respect. My only purpose is to assure the press of the State of my earnest desire to cooperate with it in the effort to keep the real issues before the people and to get away from the old methods of personal vilification and misrepresentation.

Very truly yours,  
Ed. C. O'Rear.

The above letter from Justice O'Rear is self explanatory and we heartily concur in the doing away with the personal vilifica-

tion and misrepresentation. We have been pretty hard on some Republican nominees because we thought they deserved to be, but with Judge O'Rear and colleagues we believe it is different. If some of the leaders of the g. o. p. were in the race we could find plenty to say about them and it all be true too.

### The Fair.

A number went from here to the big Bluegrass Fair at Lexington Thursday. In fact there was about a car load of them all. A jolly run was made down there, a pleasant day was spent at the fair, the greatest attraction being the flights of J. A. D. McCurdy, who rose into the air and flew like a bird. On Wednesday he flew from Lexington to Winchester and return. The day was tiresome but yet very enjoyable.

### Powell Man in Trouble.

Dr. John L. Seay was arrested in Clark county Tuesday and taken to Lexington where he was wanted on the charge of obtaining money under false pretense. He is alleged to have passed a cold check on Frank Atchinson, one of the L. & E. passenger conductors. Dr. Seay for a time was located at Stanton.

### Health Car.

The Kentucky Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis writes the L. O. O. F. Lodge of this city as follows:

"We shall be in your town with the Free Traveling Health Exhibit Car of this Association Friday, August 18th and remain there until Sunday, August 20th.

"This Car is visiting every railroad town in the State of Kentucky and is one of the means this Association is using to educate the people of the state concerning the cause, cure and prevention of Tuberculosis and other infectious diseases in such a simple yet effective way that every one can easily understand it.

"Every true, brave, patriotic and home loving citizen of Kentucky, who has meditated upon the enormous death rate in this state caused by this one disease, Consumption, should realize the great need of a concentrated effort upon the part of every one in trying to free our state of this terrible disease that is calling for 6,500 of our fellow Kentuckians yearly.

"Therefore we cordially invite each of you to visit this Car while in your town, hear practical talks and join with us in our efforts to interest the people in such a way that it will be possible to eliminate this great evil throughout our state."

This association is doing a great work toward improving the situation of consumption in Kentucky, and we trust every adult citizen of this city and surrounding territory will visit this car while it is in this city and listen to their plan of getting rid of this one dread disease.

### To Enter the Ministry.

William Jennings Bryan, it is reported, is soon to enter the ministry and give up politics altogether. He was scheduled to deliver a sermon last Sunday from the pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal church at Salem, Ill., his birthplace. It may be that the silver-tongued orator has at last found his occupation.

The Louisville Herald plant was destroyed by fire early Friday morning entailing a loss of \$125,000 covered by insurance. The Herald will soon have a new building completed, but until this is done the Herald is being issued from the office of the Louisville Post.

J. H. Burgher returned from Jackson Tuesday a very sick man and has since been confined to his home.

### Colorado Grant Murdered.

R. G. Stoner, known in the show world as Colorado Grant was shot and instantly killed at Taylorsville, August 4th by John Praux a drunken man after the show was over. "Colorado Grant" was a native Kentuckian and carried over the country a splendid wild west show. He had his show at Clay City a few years ago and was pronounced by those attending as one of the most entertaining shows that ever came to this city. During his show life Mr. Stoner had accumulated some money and was owner of considerable real estate in Gallatin and Owen counties. His remains were buried at Sparta, Gallatin county.

### We Don't Need Either.

It is said by hardware drummers that in the mountains there is little demand for locks and keys, but the trade in guns and pistols is good.—Sun-Sentinel.

In Powell county there is but little demand for either. The greatest demand seems to be for liquor.

Master Austin Johnson and little sister, Lula, are visiting in Paris and Winchester this week.

### Sees Bird Man Fly.

One of the greatest attractions of the Big Bluegrass Fair last week was the flights of J. A. D. McCurdy in his aeroplane which were successful. He flew from Lexington to Winchester Wednesday and made occasional flights each day the rest of the week. He rose and flew as a bird. This was the first time for most of us to see such a sight and it was with amazement that the great crowds witnessed its soaring in the air as some huge bird.

Misses Ines Rose and Ethel Finney, of Paris last week spent several days with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Johnson.

G. B. Cline, of Louisville, was in the city Tuesday.

### Administrator's Notice.

All persons having accounts against the estate of America Curry, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to the undersigned proven as required by law. Those knowing themselves indebted to the estate will save court costs by paying promptly.

D. M. Curry, Admin. with will annexed of America Curry.

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